

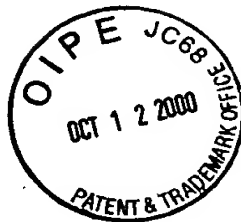
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Title: RUBBER POWDERS WHICH CONTAIN LARGE AMOUNTS OF
FILLERS, A PROCESS FOR PREPARING THEM AND THEIR USE

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Attached is a PTO-1449 form listing the enclosed documents.

The listed documents were cited in the attached European Search Report
issued in a counterpart foreign application.

U.S. Patent No. 4,883,829 relates to German Appln. No. 37 23 214.

See the degree of relevancy and the particular passages cited for each
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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the PTO-1449 form filed herewith with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP § 609 along with an early action on the merits are earnestly solicited.

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